

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

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Monroe Doctrine and Golden Rule.

No one, we imagine, can find much fault with the terse statement of international policy made by Secretary Hay before the New York chamber of commerce the other evening.

The address for two reasons was one of special significance. The secretary was at the meeting of the New York chamber of commerce as the substitute of the late President McKinley.

The soundness of the Monroe doctrine is almost universally recognized by Americans. Why may we not also apply the Golden Rule to our relations with other nations, since we profess neither to fear the strength of the strongest nor seek advantage through the weakness of the weakest?

The Dream of Independent Poland.

That the dream of Poland free and independent again taking its rightful place among the sovereign nations of the world has not utterly faded is shown in the fact of the recent conviction of several Polish students at Posen charged with treasonable participation in a movement to re-establish the kingdom.

It is more than a century since Poland was ruthlessly partitioned between Russia, Austria and Prussia and her national independence drowned in blood and consumed in flames.

Remarkable Self Control.

"He's a man of remarkable self control," they say. "Will, rather? Why, he can cover an entire golf course without saying 'damn.'"

Exact Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Jones—Is it true that he said I was "fair, fat and frumpy?" Mr. Jones—I'm not sure that he said "fair."

Double Pleasure.

Mamma—No, you may have either a banana or an apple, but not both. Willie—I'll take the banana, then. Mamma—I thought you liked apples best.

Extenuating Circumstance.

Mamma—What makes you so ill? I hope you haven't been chewing tobacco. Tommy—O-boo-boo! No, ma'am. Mamma—I'm glad to hear that, but what?

The Prisoner's Return

When I enlisted, I thought I'd go and say goodbye to Dr. Miller's daughter. I was only a common farmer, and she had another beau, a student at Amherst, but I remembered once at a party she had chosen a girl quite a bit, and she said: "Bennie, I'm sorry you're going to the war. You're too young a man and too good a man to stand up and be shot at."

Talk about standing up as a target for bullets! That's nothing, nothing at all compared with lying down to starve in a foul prison. As the days passed into weeks, and the weeks into months, so much longer that I lost all count, how many and many a time I looked at my white, bony hands and wished they were as big and as tanned as they used to be.

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The first thing I heard in the morning was not the chirping of the robins, as in the old time, but the loud howling of that steer calf under my window. I covered my head with the bedclothes and was the poorer, weakly baby over again.

I soon found out. Her father was going to Holyoke the next day to hear her valedictory, and he took me along with him. It was a long drive, but we took it slow and easy, and I had my fill of fresh air and recovered my appetite.

King Oscar and the Young Reporter.

On one occasion Oscar II. went to Gotthenburg to attend a dedication of the opening of something or other where he was expected to make a speech. An enterprising reporter intercepted him at a railway station upon arrival to ask for a copy of his manuscript in advance in order that it might be published the same afternoon.

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THE ICEBERG'S SECRET

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We had been driven below Cape Horn hundreds of miles by a fierce gale lasting eleven successive days and nights, and one morning we found ourselves among the ice and almost wrecked aloft.

On the fourth day we found ourselves driving down among six or eight great icebergs, and the boats were provisioned and other preparations made to leave the bark at a moment's notice.

The odds would be a thousand to one that the boats would be ground to pieces in ten minutes, but we had to take them. While we helplessly waited the field struck a solid cube measuring about 2,000 yards on every front and towering up over a hundred feet high.

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Superstitious Brokers.

"Wall street brokers as a class are as superstitious as women," said one of them, "and there is hardly a speculator in the street who could not open up to some pet superstition if he would. I mean the kind of nonsensical superstition that decides his action occasionally."

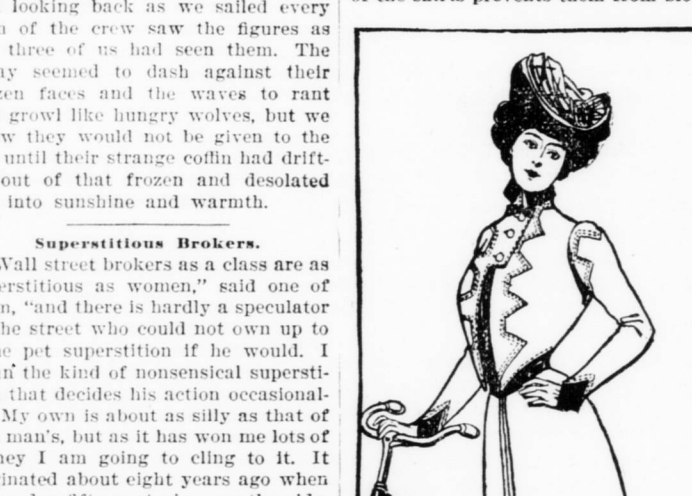
Parisian Costume.

ing so easily. Many of the latest costumes are made of lightweight covert or hairy cheviot lined with silk. The jacket of such a suit is pretty made blouse fashion, ornamented with tucks and fancy buttons.

Advertisement for 'If You Can Read and Write' by Martin Schweitzer, Montour. Includes text about learning to read and write and a list of subjects taught.

BICYCLE SUITS.

Skirts Are Longer and Materials Less Heavy. Bicycle skirts are being made much longer—so long, in fact, that they may be used for golf.



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The temptations to enter political life were so alluring that I came very near yielding to them at one time. I saw colored men who were members of the legislature and county officers who could not read or write and whose morals were as weak as their education.

Everything For Use.

That dear old lady, Julia Ward Howe, bids the young homemaker to have nothing for show. She says in Good Housekeeping: "Let your rooms look as if they were lived in. Provide convenient seats for your books, comfortable chairs to sit in, tables or desks at which one can write with comfort."

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Evening Gowns.

Fashionable Materials and Novel Trimmings. Evening gowns are noted this winter for their rich materials and fine workmanship in the way of embroideries, appliques, etc.



OF BLACK POINT D'ESPRI. In the trimming of dinner and dancing gowns. Frequently the entire gown is banded with insertions of different widths.

His Wife is Out of Town.

We see a man with under lip that has a downward droop. Upon his face a scowl as if he'd fallen in the soup.

How to Press Chicken.

Draw and singe a chicken. Wipe well with a damp towel, put in a kettle and cover with cold water, place over a moderate fire and simmer gently until the meat falls from the bone.

There Being a Distinction.

Rivers—Do you think a stovepipe hat looks punk on me, doctor? Doctor—Vainly misunderstood me. I said you'd look pink in a stovepipe hat.—Chicago Tribune.

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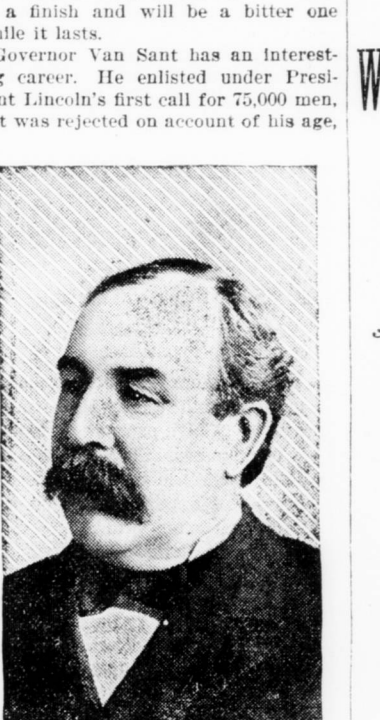
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A Fighting Governor.

Minnesota's Executive, Who Wants to Smash Railroad Combine. Few fights against combines have aroused more interest in this country than the one now on in the northwest.



GOVERNOR R. B. VAN SANT. being not quite seventeen. Again he tried and was rejected, but finally was accepted as a member of Company A Ninth Illinois. Before he was allowed to go to war, however, he had to have a written permit from his father.

THE DES MOINES' SPONSOR. Miss Frances E. West, who was selected to christen the new warship.

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